

DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH.

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DIXON, ILLINOIS, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23, 1918.

DAILY TELEGRAPH—THIRTY-FOURTH YEAR —18

DIXON TOWNSHIP HAS 4,061 MEMBERS IN RED CROSS; ACTUAL COUNT

Final Figures Made Public
By Lee County Chairman.

PRAISE FOR WORKERS

The final figures in the campaign for membership in the American Red Cross in Dixon as compiled at headquarters yesterday were as follows:

Precinct	Quota Secured
First	450
Second	450
Third	600
Fourth	450
Fifth	450
Sixth	550
Seventh	550
Totals	3,500
4016	4016

In addition to the above there were received at headquarters 35 memberships from Palmyra, 11 from South Dixon, 8 from Nelson and 1 each from Amboy, Marion, Brooklyn and Sterling, which will be credited to their respective localities.

That the campaign has been a great success is due to the merit of the cause and further to the untiring work of Township Chairman J. H. Kenneth, to the precinct captains and their helpers, and those who have labored day after day at the headquarters. Praise is also due the press for the ample publicity and to Mr. George Stitzel for the use of his office as headquarters.

J. DERKINDEREN,
Membership Secretary.

Special mention should be made of the splendid response among employees of the Brown Shoe company. Through the co-operation of Superintendent English and the enthusiasm of the workers in the different departments, 240 memberships were taken after the campaign was already under way thru a canvass in the residence districts.

REAL REPORT NOT SO SURE OF PEACE

VIENNA DENIES THAT SEPARATE PEACE IS SIGNED WITH UKRAINIANS.

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) London, Jan. 23.—A much more cautious account of the result of the negotiations between the Central Powers and the Ukraine at Brest-Litovsk than was given in the recent German semi-official statement, which represented what appeared to be a virtual settlement, is contained in an official statement from Vienna, received through Amsterdam today.

The Vienna statement speaks of "the well founded hope of the negotiations leading to an agreement on the basis of a peace treaty."

A German reflection of this view is found in the Berlin Tageblatt, which says the Vienna account must be regarded as the final one, although it differs from the previous semi-official announcement of an agreement having been reached.

MRS. RAYMOND ILL.

Mrs. Eugene Raymond is confined to her bed by sickness. She is under the care of a trained nurse.

TO DIXON HOSPITAL

Herbert Warner of Grand Detour was brought to the Dixon hospital today for treatment for anemia.

JOE GANNON, IN TRAINING AT CAMP CUSTER, IN LETTER TO BROTHER, SAYS HE LIKES ARMY LIFE

Attorney Martin J. Gannon has received the following letter from his brother Joe, who is with the Michigan troops in training at Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Mich. The letter will be of interest to all of the young man's friends here:

"Jan. 19, 1918.

"Dear Mart:
"After five months of this military training that Uncle Sam is giving his boys, I will try to tell you in a few words just what condition most of them are in, taking myself for a concrete example. I have gained in weight twenty pounds, in disposition, well, it cannot be computed in pounds, it is enough to know that I have gained, and I expect you think that that is something for me; my views of life and the world have broadened, my toleration of conditions and people has improved and is improving each day, due in a great measure to the discipline that we are subject to. In this connection, Mart, let me say a word. You have a great deal of the very strict discipline that a soldier in the army is subject to, true, you are subjected to restrictions, and they compel some soldiers to live up to them. The sensible soldier does not have to be compelled to live up to them, he does it because he realizes in so doing it is helping himself and his country, to which he owes practically everything.

FIRST DRILL GREAT SUCCESS

The first drill of Dixon Unit, held Tuesday evening at the Armory, was attended by thirty-five of the members, and proved to be an enthusiastic event. The men were given preliminary maneuvers by Captain Cushing and Lieutenants Fruin and Lennon, and exhibited fine interest in the work. It was decided to meet every Tuesday evening for drill.

EMBARGO IS PLACED ON FREIGHT IN EAST

NEW RULE WILL NOT MAKE MUCH DIFFERENCE IN SHIPMENTS, HOWEVER.

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) Washington, Jan. 23.—An embargo on all freight except food, fuel and war munitions on the Pennsylvania east of Pittsburgh, Baltimore & Ohio east of the Ohio and Pennsylvania & Reading was authorized today by Director General McAdoo.

No reference was made to the recommendation for an embargo submitted last night by Fuel Administrator Garfield. The embargo is temporary and is expected to last only a few days.

The effect of this order will not greatly change conditions of the last few days, it was stated by rail administration officials, since local embargoes already have been declared by many eastern railroads. These have been made on the initiative of individual railroads.

ILLINOIS SHORTAGE GREATER THAN EVER

INDUSTRIES RESUME OPERATIONS TODAY AFTER FIVE DAY SHUT DOWN.

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) Chicago, Jan. 23.—Industries in the Chicago district resumed operations today after the five day shutdown, with the problem of fuel still confronting them.

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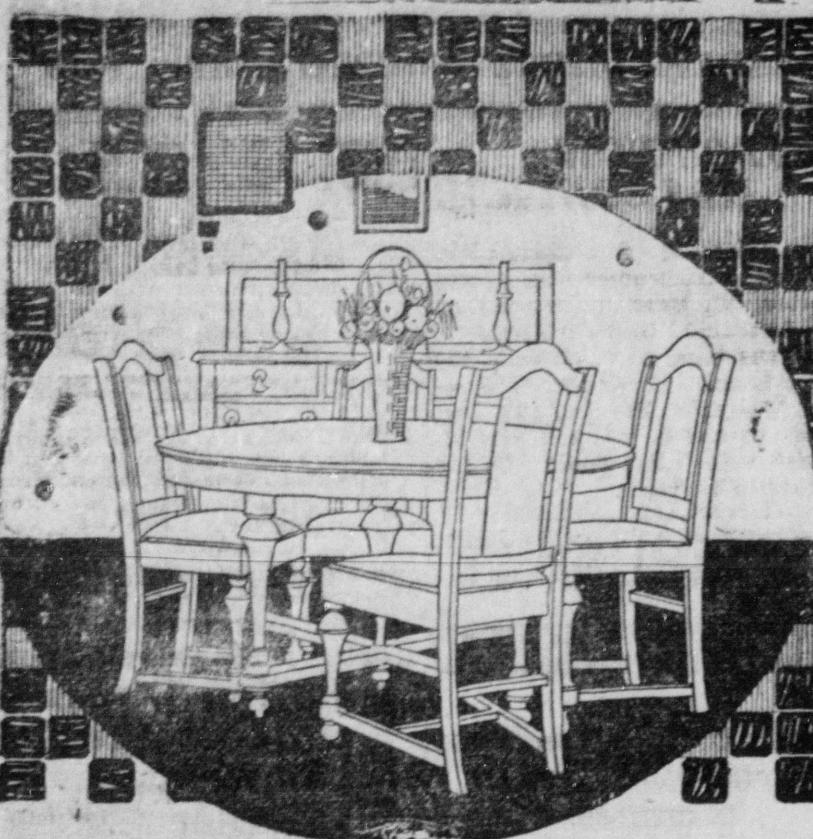
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IN ALL
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DINING ROOM FURNITURE

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than ever, and wonderful price values; such price values as we will be unable to duplicate in future purchases; there's no time like right NOW to get that new dining table, set of chairs, china cabinet or buffet; buffets that are real beauties, in mission, Period designs or Colonials, and priced from \$22.00 up.

LINOLEUMS

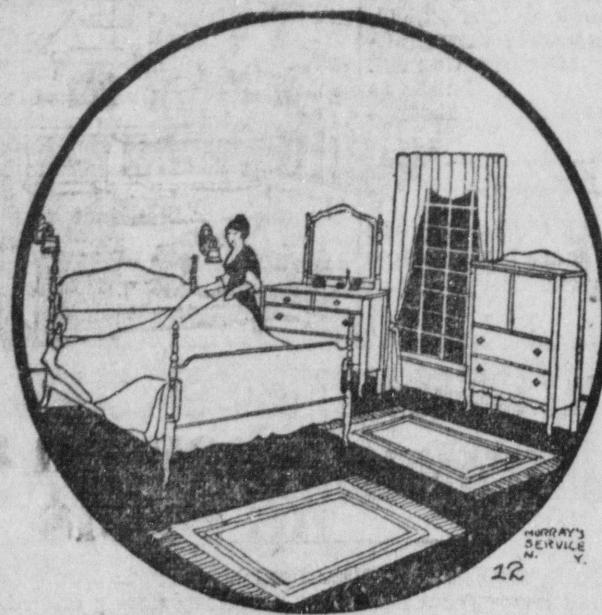
**Linoleum isn't very Warm to the Feet
'tis true--but, Linoleum DOES shut
out all the Cold,**

closes every crack and open place in the floors, and saves a lot of good warmth that otherwise would be lost. We are showing several hundred patterns of fine linoleums, Neponsets, inlaid linoleums and genuine Congoleums that are in a variety of patterns suited to every room of the home and specially desirable designs for offices, stores and public rooms.

There's no uncertainty as to WHAT you will get or WHEN you will get it when bought here; it's ALL HERE NOW, hundreds of rolls right here in our basement stock and you get the SAME piece of goods you choose.

It's here, 12 ft. wide, 9 ft. wide, 7½ ft. wide and 6 ft. wide, and it is as low as 55¢ the square yard.

Measure your floors and bring in a diagram and we'll gladly figure out the exact cost for you.



WE OFFER A SPLENDID POSTER BED

in full size for \$22.50, and others on up in price; ivory bedroom furniture is growing in popular favor and we are now showing a very large variety of this charming type; every woman wants dainty bedroom furnishings and should have them, too; here you may take your choice of bird's-eye maple, oak, walnut, mahogany or ivory enamel, and every piece during this sale bears a special CASH discount.

There's no end of luxurious bedding supplies, too; soft, downy, warm mattresses that will STAY soft and comfortable after years of use; mattresses now going at prices fully 25 per cent less than will be possible to offer when the present stocks are sold.

**GOODS BOUGHT NOW
MAY BE
DELIVERED LATER TO
SUIT YOUR CONVENIENCE.**

KEYES AHRENS OGDEN CO. MID-WINTER

FURNITURE SALE

offers values of such notable worth that without question far more volume than six days' business will be done in the five short days of our present business week.

This mid-winter sale is attracting buyers from other towns and cities as well as Dixon; friends of those who bought last week are now also coming in and looking and but very little looking is necessary to make enthusiastic buyers of each and every one of them; there are unusually attractive goods and in enormous varieties to pick and choose from; the wonderfully low prices on the tags are still subject to generous CASH discounts and, take our word for it, many a year will pass before you will again find it possible to duplicate such splendid home furnishings for anywhere near so low prices.



ROOM RUGS

Pile After Pile and Big, High Piles, Too, of Fine Room Rugs

rugs in such a great variety of sizes you will surely find JUST what you need, even though your room is very small or extremely large. For instance:

Great big rugs, 11.3x13.6 for \$36.50, others up to \$84.00, and then again room size rugs, 4.6x7.6, for \$7.85, and others to \$26.00.

Very good, seamless, genuine Brussels rugs, 9x12 feet, for \$15.30, and up to \$30.00.

Body Brussels, the real body brussels in 9x12, from \$27.00 to \$45.00.

Royal Wiltons, that are royally rich, indeed, from \$40.50 to \$85.00, and choice French Wiltons, \$67.50 to \$90.00.

Special value in a lot of strictly wool ingrain room rugs, 7.6x9, 9x9, 9x10.6, 12x13.6, \$7.85 and up.

Grass rugs and fibre rugs that are daintily pretty and desirable for bedrooms, \$5.35 and up.

From present indications there will be many items in our lines that will be difficult to get; price will cut NO figure, simply that it will be impossible to get the goods; beat the scarcity to it and now, while you can get the goods and get them cheap, stock up.

A Lot of Great, Big Chairs and Rockers



upholstered in leathers that will wear for years, excellent interior spring construction and so roomy and comfortable they're a delight to any man, and the price range is \$16.50 and up, and the special CASH discount yet to be deducted.

Keyes Ahrens Ogden Co.

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STORE OPEN EVENINGS SATURDAY ONLY.

**EVERYBODY GET
BUSY AND DO A
BIG SIX DAYS
BUSINESS DURING
THE SHORT FIVE
DAYS THE FUEL
CONVERSATION
PROGRAM REQUIRES**



Draperies

Dignity and artistic charm go hand in hand with well chosen draperies, and the most critical buyers are finding it real pleasure to shop in our drapery department.

No matter what your selections in furniture and rugs, you'll find here just the nicest, artistic and harmonizing effects possible in choosing your draperies from this great range of designs, kinds and styles and every dollar spent here means a wonderful saving for you.

We show fifty bolts of lovely Cretonne in patterns suitable for doilies and luncheon sets as well as for drapery and upholstery uses, priced 18c to \$1.10.

Richly colored Madras Cloth will be used this season more than ever before and today we offer a big assortment from 55c to \$2.65.

Nets of all kinds from 19c up, and a choice lot of Filet Nets at the unusual pricing of 37c and up to \$1.80.

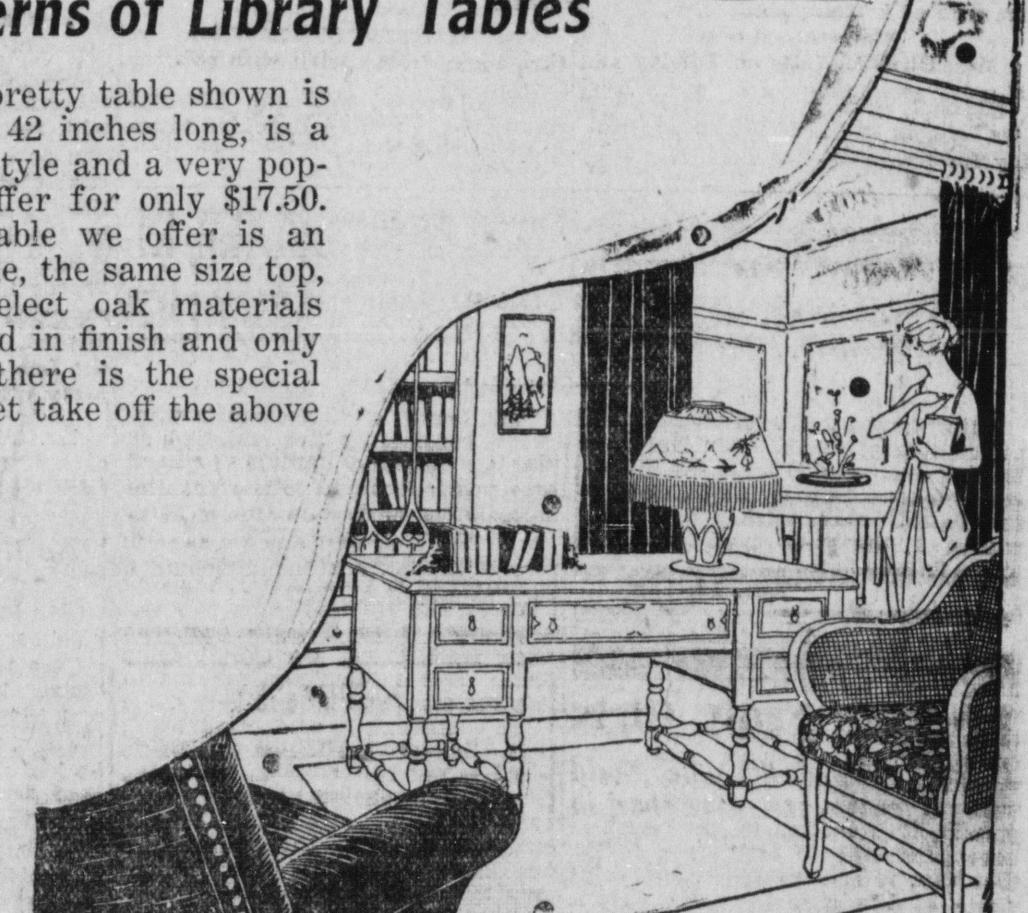
Several lots Pair Curtains, where there are one, one and a half or two pairs of a pattern, at a mere fraction of their real worth.

Full size, warm Comforters at \$1.98, \$2.98, \$3.00, \$3.25, \$4.50, \$5.00 and up to \$8.75.

Excellent blanket values in large, extra large cotton or wool blankets. New style Floor Brooms, 75c.

Seventy Patterns of Library Tables

to select from. A pretty table shown is 26 inches wide and 42 inches long, is a William and Mary style and a very popular type that we offer for only \$17.50. Another splendid table we offer is an Arts and Crafts style, the same size top, is made of fine, select oak materials throughout, is fumed in finish and only \$12.75. Of course there is the special CASH discount to yet take off the above prices.



Cash Discounts in all departments and goods delivered anywhere—now or later when you are ready to use them.

SOCIETY

COMING EVENTS

Wednesday
 Christian Aid society, Mrs. Clinton Rhodes.
 Lucas society, church.
 Lady Foresters, Mrs. Mary O'Malley.
 C. C. Circle, Hospital Garments Department, Red Cross Shop.
 Palmyra Mutual Aid, Mrs. Ellis Mason.

Thursday
 Cly-Alty Club, Mrs. Guy Merriman.
 M. E. Aid Section No. 2, Mrs. W. H. Edwards.

Thursday Reading Circle, Mrs. Jno. Sterling.

Baptist Industrial Dept., Mrs. R. W. Sproul.

Friday

Presbyterian Missionary, Mrs. M. Vail.

Nachusa Ladies to Meet.
 The ladies of Nachusa township are invited to the home of Rev. and Mrs. N. King of Nachusa Thursday at 11 a.m. sharp. Luncheon will be served at noon and after the luncheon the ladies will be addressed by Mrs. Forstyth and Miss Dimick of Dixon.

Gave Recital
 Miss Margaret Leake, daughter of Mrs. Frank Leake of 121 Roselawn Drive, Los Angeles, according to the Highland Park Herald of Los Angeles gave her first recital Saturday afternoon, Jan. 5th, at the home of her teacher, Mrs. Frances Mallory-Nickerson. She was assisted by little ten year old Ella Hubert on the violin. The little musician gave a very fine program which was thoroughly enjoyed by all of her admiring friends and relatives who were present. Miss Margaret is only twelve years old, but she plays very beautifully.

The following is the program given:

Waltz of the Wild Flowers Carrie Jacobs Bond
 a. Love's Greeting, Elgar
 b. Ave Maria, Gounod
 c. Violin
 a. Berceuse, b. Danse Fantastique, c. Humoresque; Ornstein
 a. Gavotte, Bach
 b. Birdling, Greig
 c. Oriental, Frim
 a. Minuet, Beethoven
 b. Scene de Ballet, Bohm
 Violin

Woodyatt-Shuman
 Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Woodyatt announce the marriage of Mrs. Helene Shuman of Davenport to their son, Leonard Eugene of Battery C, 132d U. S. Heavy Field Artillery, Houston, Tex. The marriage was solemnized at the home of the bride's father.

Mrs. H. Van Dale, a cousin of the bride, served as matron of honor and the groom was attended by Mr. Van Dale.

With Mrs. Trowbridge.
 A pleasant meeting of Chapter A.C. Illinois P. E. O., was held Monday afternoon with Mrs. L. R. Trowbridge. The attendance was large and much business, with many plans for the year, was transacted. Miss Myrtle Judd had an instructive paper on Alaska, Mrs. F. X. Newcomer had charge of the parliamentary drill and various ones told of interesting current happenings.

St. Ann's Guild Postpones.
 The meeting of St. Ann's Guild, to have been held on Friday with Mrs. Charles Chandler, has been postponed because of the illness of Mrs. Chandler.

Entertainment
 An entertaining evening is promised all who attend the basket social and entertainment given by pupils of the Will school, under the direction of the teacher, Mrs. Julia Brechin, Friday evening, Jan. 25. The school house is five miles south of Dixon on the Peoria road. All ladies are asked to bring baskets.

Entertained Son
 Mrs. Olive M. Oale on Sunday and Monday entertained her son, Reynolds Dale, of Chicago. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hughes were also dinner guests. Mrs. Hughes is a sister of Mr. Dale.

Dress Making
Millinery
 Kaki Yarn
LA CAMILLE CORSETS
 AT
HESS MILLINERY
 208 First Street

Fraile Girls
 —the pale, timid soul—are short in vitality. Proper glasses and suitable food are wonder workers for such.

DR. W. F. AYDELOTTE
 Neurologist and Health Instructor.
 223 Crawford Ave., Dixon, Ill.
 Phone 160 for Appointments.

Red Cross Open All Week.
 Every day in the week from now on the Red Cross shop will be open. Because of fewer workers on Monday and Saturday the shop has not been opening those days but the increase in workers has warranted the opening and the past Monday, the first time the shop has been open that afternoon, the attendance was large. There was a record breaking crowd in both the garment and surgical supply departments Tuesday afternoon, the number being largely augmented by Eastern Star members. In fact, there were so many they could scarce all be accommodated.

The packing committee has been busy and a large shipment will probably go out tomorrow. It is hoped soon to enlarge the quarters so that a room may be had for packing purposes alone. Among the articles to go in tomorrow's shipment is a large number of knitted articles. The amount turned in the past week has been unprecedented in the history of the shop. On Tuesday five pairs of beautifully knitted socks were received from Mrs. George Loveland, who is wintering at Pensacola, Fla., evidence that Mrs. Loveland does not forget the activities of her home for going to Harvard college for eight months' training in the radio division of the navy as landsman electrician. Harry Seekman has enlisted in with Charles Wagner as the chairman. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wagner and Mrs. Fred Wagner were guests of the Dixon shop Tuesday and the ladies were given instruction in the work and samples and manuals to take back with them in order that they may instruct the ladies of that township. The auxiliary will hold its meetings at the Charles Wagner residence, at least until warmer weather arrives.

At Five Hundred.
 Mrs. Bess Davis entertained most delightfully Tuesday evening at four tables of Five Hundred. A luncheon was served on the small tables at the close of the games. Prizes were given.

Hoi Polloi Club.
 The Hoi Polloi club meeting, many times postponed, will be held this evening with Mrs. Benj. Shaw.

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The bride looked charming in a gown of baby blue taffeta with shoes and gloves to match. The matron of honor was gowned in pink taffeta. Mr. Woodyatt in his uniform aided to the wedding the military note seen in so many ceremonies just now.

The bride was the recipient of many beautiful and substantial presents, including the gift of six liberty bonds from her father.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodyatt are spending their honeymoon in this city with relatives. They will return to Davenport to reside.

Sleighing Party.
 Miss Irene Young and brother Clark will entertain this evening a party of young people at their home, at the close of a sleighride culminating at their home.

On Furlough.
 Harry Manges, who is stationed at Jefferson Barracks, leaves tomorrow after spending a brief furlough with his people here.

Visited in DeKalb.
 Miss Margaret Sheehan will return today from a visit with relatives in DeKalb.

Emil Krug went to Chemung today on business.

THREE GENERATIONS OF WOMEN
 For three generations women of this country have used and recommended to their children and children's children the use of that famous old root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, until today it is recognized everywhere as the standard remedy for woman's ills. It contains no narcotics or harmful drugs; is made from roots and herbs of the field, under the most sanitary condition, and any woman suffering from such ailments should be sure to give it a trial.

GRANDMA NEVER LET HER HAIR GET GRAY

She Kept Her Locks Dark and Glossy, with Sage Tea and Sulphur.

When you darken your hair with Sage Tea and Sulphur, no one can tell, because it's done so naturally, so evenly. Preparing this mixture, though, at home is messy and troublesome. At little cost you can buy at any drug store the ready-to-use preparation, improved by the addition of other ingredients called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning all gray hair disappears, and after another application, or two, your hair becomes beautifully darkened, glossy and luxuriant.

Gray, faded hair, though no disgrace, is a sign of old age, and as we all desire a youthful and attractive appearance, get busy at once with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound and look years younger. This ready-to-use preparation is a delightful toilet requisite and not a medicine. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

NOTICE

Although everything connected with my business has advanced my prices remain the same.
 Plain shampoo 50c with hot oil or witch hazel 75c
 Curling and dressing 10 to 25c extra
 Hair dressing 25 to 50c
 Manicuring 50c
 Facial massage \$1.00 per hour
 Facial massage, per half hour 50c
 Switches made from combings, per ounce 50c

FLORENCE E. DUSTMAN
 BEAUTY SHOP.

R. N. A. Installation.
 Instead of the joint public installation, planned by the Royal Neighbors of America, Camp 127, and Mod Woodmen, Camp 56, each order is invalid, because of the unavailability of Moose hall because of shortage of coal and the smallness of Miller hall, in which the installations will be held. The Roy at dinner in honor of their guests, Mrs. Orie Miller and children of Ban gor, Mich., and Miss Frances Miller, a Neighbors will install Thursday evening and the Woodmen a wee later.

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Returned Home.

Mrs. John Mishler, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. F. Myers, returned Monday to Blue Earth, Minn. Mrs. Henry Kime of that city, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Lawrence, returned with Mrs. Mishler. Mrs. Mishler came to attend the funeral of her brother-in-law, the late J. F. Myers.

Discontinues Dancing School

Miss Marcelle Kent, who has been conducting a dancing school in Armory hall, will discontinue it until conditions in regard to the coal shortage are bettered.

For Birthday.

Angier Wilson is entertaining this evening in honor of his birthday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Philip Yost enter tained Sunday their daughter, Mrs. Philip Koehl, and son, and their son Robert Yost of Chicago, in honor of Mrs. Yost's birthday.

Dinner for Miss Shippert

Mrs. Frank Forman and Mrs. Chas. Duis entertained Friday evening at the former's pretty bungalow with a dinner for Miss Elizabeth Shippert, about 20 guests. Festoons of pink and white crepe paper decorated the dining room and pink and white car-

nations were used as the centerpiece.

A delicious scramble dinner of several courses was served. Strings of red hearts were draped from the center to the corners of the living room. After the dinner Victrola music and piano selections by Miss Mary Shippert, who is a student at a Chicago conservatory of music, were greatly enjoyed. A shower of aluminum ware was cleverly given the honored guest as the prize won in a guessing contest.

Knit-a-bit Club.

The Knit-a-bit club will meet on Thursday evening with Misses Speelman of First street.

Scramble Supper.

The young ladies of the A. L. Geisheimer store were entertained on Tuesdays evening at the home of Mrs. Grover Hobart with a scramble supper.

To Oberlin College.

Miss Elizabeth Raymond has re turned to her studies at Oberlin college music conservatory after a vacation because of the coal shortage.

To Hear of China.

A meeting of the Presbyterian Mis sionary society will be held Friday at 3 p. m. at the home of Mrs. M. H. Vail, Chula Vista Ave. The members will be addressed by Mrs. Jos. Beech upon China.

SUSMAN'S INSURANCE PAID.

The Citizen's Insurance company of Missouri made a full and satis

factory settlement of E. Susman's claim, caused by fire January 4. J. F. Haley is agent.

AID SOCIETY MEETING.

There will be a regular business

meeting of the Aid society of the M. E. church in the Epworth League room at 2:30 o'clock Friday. All members are urged to be present.

MYSTIC WORKERS IN SERVICE.

Anyone knowing the name of a mem

ber of the Mystic Workers, Lodge No. 27 of Dixon, who is in

the U. S. army or navy, is asked to

communicate his address to the sec

retary, Mrs. Barry, 115 Peoria ave

nue, Dixon. Phone 486 or K-245.

DAUNTLESS OUT AGAIN.

J. J. Dauntless is able to be out again after a long illness.

BLAIR IS CANDIDATE.

Francis G. Blair announces him

self a candidate for re-election to the

office of superintendent of public in

struction, subject to the decision of

the Republican primaries, September 11, 1918.

UNION MEETING.

The evening union services on the

south side will be held Sunday at St

Paul's Lutheran church. Special mu

sic will be rendered and the new hym

ns will be used.

Howard Wheeler of Walton was in

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WHEATLESS BISCUITS.

By SADIE OLcott.

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MAKING MONEY MULTIPLY.

American manufacturers are the Aladdins of these days and times.
With all the advantages being on the side of the manufacturers.Aladdin, so the story goes, had to exercise some spirited elbow grease
upon a miracle lamp, to obtain the fabled riches which his puny and selfish
mind thought he stood in need of.

At best, this story is but a fable.

But not so with that of our manufacturers.

They out-Aladdin Aladdin.

There is nothing fabulous or fanciful about their achievement.

There is no conjuring up of magic powers; no sleight of hand per-
formance; no hocus pocus with them.

But theirs is a straight-out business accomplishment.

Taking raw materials and labor, their efforts are transmuted into R M,
R M meaning ready money.Given iron, copper, lumber, cotton, hides and wool, they add to these
the skillful touch of labor and gold pours forth.Their every wheel and spindle whirs at breakneck speed to meet the
world's demands. And every whir means added dollars.

There are not workmen enough to man their plants.

And Mars is daily underwriting a continuance of their prosperity.

You ask me why this is so. I will tell you why:

Because war's demands are new demands. War's demands are extra
demands. Demands which are over and above our usual requirements.Guns and munitions are not the products of normal times. They are products
which must be made in addition to those required for our usual needs.This simply means that vast armies of workers are withdrawn from
making our usual requirements and pressed into making those things which
war so feverishly demands, while much of our regular work is forced to
wait and remains undone.And, viewing from another point, the guns and munitions of war lay
waste. Guns and munitions destroy. So, that there are gigantic works of
peaceful times which have been pushed aside and lay in wait, besides the
empires of territory which have been destroyed by war, which will have to
be restored.All Europe will have to be rebuilt. Its roads. Its railroads. Its
bridges. Its trolley lines. Its factories. Its villages, towns and cities.

Europe will need steel and copper and lumber for years to come.

She will need implements and machinery, tools and engines, automo-
biles and tractors, faster than she can make them. I should like to have
the contract to restore the one-tenth part of Europe's fences.Thus it is, I say, that Mars is daily underwriting a long continuance
of our manufacturer's fortune.

The present prices of raw materials are thus assured.

High wages are thus assured.

More work than we can do is thus assured.

Unprecedented demand, good profits, and general all round prosperity
are thus assured. Not only for the present, but reaching far into the future.And American manufacturers are the Aladdin boys who are going to
make our money multiply.—By George W. Gittins. Courtesy of T. J.
Miller & Sons of Dixon.

DIGGING HIS OWN GRAVE.

An old man of Rising Sun, Neb., dug his own grave. When he had
finished digging and was removing the supports he fell into the grave and
was killed. Now his body rests in death in the grave he spent many days
in digging."It is rarely that a man digs his own grave," wrote the newspaper cor-
respondent who sent out the story.With that we beg to differ. Most men—yes, and many women, too—
dig their own graves!Oh, no; they don't use spades, shovels and picks. They don't do their
grave digging in earth, and they don't fall into it after the digging is done,
and thus kill themselves.

But they dig their own graves just the same, millions of human beings.

They dig their graves with intemperate habits, over worry, passion,
lack of sleep, excess of food, drink or work. They dig their graves when
they try to exist without sufficient fresh air. They dig their graves when
they live in unsanitary homes or workshops. They dig their graves when
they don't get enough food, sleep, recreation. They dig their graves when
they disobey any of nature's laws.They—in digging their own graves—bring ill health, unhappiness,
often poverty and insanity to themselves and pain and sorrow to those who
love them best.A better and wiser way to dig one's own grave is to follow the example
of the aged Nebraskan and do it with a shovel, starting sometime after one
reaches the seventy-fifth milestone of life.—Aurora Beacon-News.

OBSERVE MR. KRYLENKO.

The world must pay some particular attention to Mr. Krylenko, head-
quarters Petrograd. Mr. Krylenko was an ensign. He saw his chance and
grabbed it, which is the way to get ahead in Russia, nowadays, and he is
now Bolshevik commander-in-chief.Looking upon the world at large, Commander Krylenko has decided
to raise a big army to wipe out the "bourgeois," not only of Russia but also
of Germany, England and France, Italy and America. "Bourgeois" includes
everybody who has got anything that's divisible, and, beginning with such
"bourgeois" as the Standard Oil and other kings, Krylenko will try to
gradually exterminate down to farmers flush with hogs or hens. The Bol-
shevik idea is that possession is prima facie evidence of crookedness or
special privilege, for which the remedy is arbitrary division.Application of such remedy, by Russians or any other people, depends
upon how large a proportion of the people get the idea aforesaid, doesn't it?
Commander Krylenko feels he cannot apply it through the ballot, and so
he's going to try an army. He may go quite a way, too, provided that
Trotzky and Lenin don't get enough of this world's goods to decidedly
modify their Bolshevikism. It is to be supposed that they, like many other
folks, have a viewpoint largely predicated upon what they've got.COL. ROOSEVELT
IN WASHINGTONDeclares He Will Help Speed Up
the War and Confer
With Friends.

NO REPLY TO SENATOR STONE

Asserts, "I Am Less Interested in What
Stone Says About Me Than in
What the President Says About
Chamberlain."

Washington, Jan. 23.—President Wilson's denunciation of Senator Chamberlain's attack on the war department and his openly expressed approval of Secretary Baker, had the effect of apparently solidifying sentiment among senate Democrats who support the bill for a war cabinet despite the president's opposition.

Some of them met announcement of President Wilson's determination to oppose the bill to the finish with declarations of similar purpose to support it to a finish, despite the fact they may not gather strength enough to compel congress to accept it over the president's disapproval.

Colonel Roosevelt came to town during the day and received a steady stream of callers at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Nicholas Longworth.

The colonel frankly said his purpose in coming to the capital now was to help speed up the war and confer with friends in congress. He disclaimed any purpose of replying to Senator Stone's speech in the senate.

Will See Chamberlain.

"I am infinitely less interested in what Senator Stone says about me than in what the president says about Senator Chamberlain," said Colonel Roosevelt. "The national motto at this moment should be 'tell the truth and speed up the war.' I expect to see Senator Chamberlain before I see anyone else, and then to see Senator Hiram Johnson of California, and shall have nothing further to say until after I have seen them, and perhaps not until a little later.

"I hope also to see Senators Wadsworth and Curtis and Representatives Madden and Kahn in their fight for universal military training. These gentlemen and their followers are performing a great public service."

Senator Chamberlain said he would not reply further to the president's criticism, but at a meeting of the state military committee senators, Democratic and Republican, conferred and determined to urge the legislation.

Roosevelt is going to make a speech at the National Press club on Thursday, in which he is expected to blow the lid off.

Chamberlain Sees Colonel.

Chamberlain means to go through with his fight for the war cabinet bill and the one providing for a director of munitions, despite the president's sharp declaration against them. He saw Colonel Roosevelt twice, and while no announcement of the details of those conferences is forthcoming, anybody who knows the situation can put the "bully" and the shoulder pat in their proper places in the conversations.

MINES STOP FOE IN ITALY

Germans' Attempt to Approach Works
on Monte Pasubio Fails.

ROME, Jan. 23.—The report from general headquarters says:

"The artilleries carried out persistent and spirited actions in the Lagarina valley in the regions between the Brenta and the western slopes of Monte Grappa and the middle course of the Piave. On the left bank of the Adige enemy reconnoitering groups were repulsed by our fire and to the north of Pagare were driven back by Italian re-

connoitering parties.

"The enemy's attempt to approach our works on Monte Pasubio was met by the timely explosion of two of our counter mines."

Italian Headquarters in Northern Italy, Jan. 23.—General Szetozar Boroevitch has been appointed to succeed the Archduke Eugene in command of the entire enemy front against Italy, and it is believed that the change may have a considerable effect on the campaign.

PERSHING'S OBSERVERS BUSY

U. S. Flyers Begin Work With French
Pilots.

With the American Army in France, Jan. 23.—More American observers have begun work at the front with French pilots in French airplanes. It is inadvisable to mention their numbers or identity or the point at which they are stationed. While their flights are in the nature of instruction they are carried out under actual battle conditions.

B. & O. Asks to Borrow.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 23.—The Baltimore & Ohio railroad has asked permission of the Ohio public utilities commission to issue \$10,284,384 worth of refunding and general mortgage bonds.

Unlimited funds at lowest interest

rate for long term, with liberal payment privileges stopping interest.

Write H. A. Roe Company, Dixon

National Bank Bldg., Dixon, Ill.

ABE MARTIN



ANOTHER DIXON BOY WRITES OF EXPERIENCES

ABOARD U. S. AIRPLANE 2,000 FEET IN THE AIR

We are allowed to quote from a letter from Herbert N. Parker, who is at the Ellington Field near Houston, Tex., in the aviation service, written to his mother, Mrs. E. W. Parker:

"We are here for at least three months and since the government issues us only a limited amount of equipment, I'll have to have a few more things to make me more comfortable while here. I don't expect to get to town from now on and won't take any chance to go, as I am more than interested in the flying game and will stay right on the job and learn as much of it as I can instead of running into town. I have flown and handled the controllers in the air, but haven't taken a 'ship' up alone yet, probably will be doing such work within a couple of weeks at least. I suppose you are interested to know how I felt on my first flight. Experienced no unusual sensation and had no feeling of fear or feeling such as one has in a rapidly descending elevator. The ground simply leaves you and objects on it become smaller and smaller as you go up. There is much noise from the engine and a great rush of air. "It is quite the most wonderful thing I ever experienced and I am

crazy to go up all the time. The speed doesn't seem great when you are flying 2,000 feet altitude. One seems to float along. My ears tingle and there is a roaring sound in them from the rapid change of altitude, although I did my flying this morning, and it is now bedtime. I have applied for \$10,000 of insurance and made it payable to you. I have gotten interested in reading again and grab every chance to get to read. I have been reading Kipling and Pickwick papers and have enjoyed them very much, which shows that I am not as nervous as I was at Austin (Ground School), because I could not sit down and read there.

"Later. Have just returned from a nice flying trip. Saw the first accident this afternoon. A cadet fell about 2,000 feet in a trial speed; of course he was killed. He probably fainted or got scared. This is the first accident that has happened at this field so far. They are no more common than automobile accidents are, so you don't need to waste any time worrying. The weather has moderated some and it is much more comfortable. This will have to be all for this time, because a fellow cadet has lit on my bunk in preparation for a talk fest."

"On these statements," the dispatch asserted, "all strikes ceased on Monday."

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 23.—The Austrian government has accepted the socialists' demands as to food, communal woman suffrage and nonmilitarism of war industries, according to a Vienna dispatch, quoting the Taegliche Rundschau. The government, it was declared, had added that it aimed at a speedy general peace and did not desire annexation of Russian territory.

GENEVA, Jan. 23.—Some news of a reliable nature has begun to trickle across the Swiss frontier which seemingly proves that Austria and Hungary are in the throes of the greatest economic crisis since the war began. It is estimated that more than 1,000,000 workmen and women have struck.

THOR ELECTRIC CLEANER



Saves ALL the weary work of sweeping, and nuisance of constant dusting.

Saves time, saves labor.

Ready to clean on a second's notice.

Easy to operate.

Light running, and long lasting. Sold on small weekly payments. Come in and see this wonderful machine that lightens the labor of the home.

W. D. Drew

90 Peoria Avenue

EGGS ARE GOING UP

ARE YOUR HENS ON A STRIKE?

WOLF'S EGG-MAKER

WILL MAKE THEM LAY

It will tone them up—it will get them laying quicker. WOLF'S EGG-MAKER has an invigorating effect on the inactive egg organs. It's easy to feed—put a little in the morning mash as directed. It contains no filler—it's worth daily is enough for thirty fowl. You can't lose—no eggs, no pay, OUR GUARANTEE. So sure are we that WOLF'S EGG-MAKER will make your hens lay; that it will keep them strong and vigorous; that we will package you with enough for your flock, and if it doesn't do as we claim, return the empty package and get back your money. A TRIAL WILL CONVINCE YOU.

Put up in 25c and 50c packages. 50c package contains three times more than 25c package. If your dealer will not supply you, send 25 or 50c for Post Paid Trial Package.

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SAFETY COURTESY SERVICE

The purpose of this advertisement is to bring the importance of saving to the attention of the public. Never before has saving been so necessary. Our soldiers and sailors alone cannot win the war. They must be backed by the thrifty people at home to be an invincible force for victory and peace. The future of our country, after the war, will be more secure if every American will spend carefully, save carefully and invest carefully.

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In cases of rheumatism and lame back it penetrates quickly, drives out soreness, and limbers up stiff, aching joints and muscles.

Wizard Oil is an absolutely reliable, antiseptic application for cuts, burns, bites, and stings. Sprains and bruises heal readily under its penetrating qualities.

Get it from druggists for 30 cents. If not satisfied return the bottle and get your money back.

Ever constipated or have sick headache? Just try Wizard Liver Whips, pleasant little pink pills, 30 cents. Guaranteed.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES**Beat Morrison.**

The basket ball team added a scalp to their belts when they journeyed to Morrison Friday and defeated the team of that city, 34 to 6. After the game the team members were entertained and given a fine luncheon by the Morrison girls at the high school. A fine time was had and the team appreciated the fine treatment.

Food Judges.

Bert Whitcombe says the Morrison girls are to be complimented on their ability to cook. If you had been there and seen Whitcombe and Hess laying into the food, you would have known Hoover wasn't around.

Big Hess and Little Hess had their hair clipped off at a local livery barn.

Willard Countryman also had his golden locks severed to save him from washing them.

Game Tonight.

The North Dixon girls' basket ball team will play the Rock Falls high girls' team at the Y. M. C. A. this evening. A good game is expected, as the North High team has a reputation of not having lost a game in two seasons.

Play Minonk.

The Speed Boys, a basket ball team composed of high school children, will play the above high school February 28. The boys will go there.

GRAND DETOUR

Grand Detour, Jan. 21—W. L. Palmer went to Polo Wednesday on business.

Hez Sheffield is hauling corn from John Bennett's.

Len Davis went to Freeport Friday on business.

Mrs. Lehman spent a few days of last week with her brother, Herbert Warner.

Georgia Seeley returned to her home at Malta, this state, on Wednesday after spending a week with her sister here.

Mrs. Will Fletcher of Sublette, Ill., spent last week visiting with her cousin, Mrs. C. A. Shefield, and husband.

Mrs. Lina Kelchner of Balacock, Wis., came on Wednesday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Clara Wiley and other relatives.

Mrs. John Warner spent a few days last week in Dixon visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Lee Lambert and family.

Mrs. Albert Tholen drove to Oregon Friday for her son Albert, who is attending the public school at that place.

Mrs. James Pankhurst was in Dixon on Friday.

The Misses Ruth and Edith Porter spent last Sunday visiting with their sister, Mrs. Cyrus Toms, and family.

Mrs. C. A. Shefield starts for New Orleans today. She will visit in Mississippi and Florida before returning home. She goes as far as Key West, and expects to be absent about six weeks.

PINE CREEK

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Summers were in Polo Saturday.

Mrs. Samuel Myers, who has been sick, does not improve as her many friends would like to hear.

Fred Sheets of Oregon was called on Friday evening to the Charles Davis home owing to the illness of his hired man, Earl Wernick.

Mrs. Albert Adams visited at the Fred Summers home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah eBard were in Dixon Friday.

Miss Nellie Cross of near Polo arrived Saturday to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Gaylor Snyder at Pine Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Stauffer, Fred Summers and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Netts spent Thursday in Polo on busines.

We are sorry to hear that the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Butterbaugh, who has been very ill with pneumonia is not improving as many would wish.

Mrs. Clarence Huffman of near Pennsylvania Corners, who submitted to an operation at the Dixon hospital recently, is reported as doing nicely.

Mrs. Fred Eichorn and baby of near Woosung are visiting with her brother, Noah Beard, and family.

John Todd of Dixon is a visitor at the Samuel Netts home.

Dr. Griffin of Polo was called to the Ira Butterbaugh and Fred Summers homes Thursday.

Albert Adams went to Dixon Wednesday for coal but returned home with an empty sled as there was no coal in Dixon.

OHIO

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sisler left on Wednesday evening for their home in Crookston, Minn., after visiting for several weeks at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sisler.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. McEndree and children arrive here on Wednesday evening from Buda and are visiting with friends and relatives in town for a few days. Mr. McEndree has rented the E. M. Armstrong farm north of town and will take possession on February 1.

In order to conserve the coal supply the public school and St. Joseph's academy have closed for two weeks, and all the business houses will be closed on Mondays, except the grocery stores and meat market, which will keep open for a short time in the morning.

Mrs. Charles Corbin of Emporia, Kas., is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cor-

Recruiting Nurse Corps
of 25,000 Trained Women



C. HARRIS & EWING

Howard Wallace and Will Sartorius were in Dixon Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ephriam Gerdes and Mrs. Orville Miller were shopping in Dixon Saturday.

Bert Hoyle was in our neighborhood Wednesday.

Mrs. Jake Albert and son Herman were in Dixon Monday.

Lester Hoyle helped Oscar Miller butcher on Friday.

J. T. Lawrence Jr. was in Dixon on Saturday.

Henry Kurtzrock was in Dixon on Tuesday.

Mrs. Jack Laurence visited at the Jack Winters home in Dixon this afternoon.

Her mother, Mrs. Kiehm, has been visiting there since Saturday but expects to leave this evening for her home in Minnesota.

A letter from Mr. Kiehm states that the weather up there is very cold but that they have had no storms and but little snow.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boucher were in Dixon Saturday.

Lester Hoyle will help Herbert Klosterman with his butchering today.

Mrs. Art Missman, who is at the Dixon hospital recovering from a recent operation, is convalescing rapidly. Miss Clare Shugart is assisting at the Missman home.

Miss Josephine McGinnis is again employed at the Woolworth store in Dixon.

We are proud to say that our district school can show one hundred per cent Red Cross. The teachers and children all belong to the Red Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lundgren and Miss Grace Bryant were in Dixon Friday.

Jacob Alber has been hauling lumber from Dixon for the erection of new buildings.

Oscar Miller bought a nice bunch of Hereford cattle from Bert Hoyle and brought them home today.

Mrs. Frank Zbendor who with her daughter Irene has been visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Fred Friedrichs, for the past three weeks, have returned to their home in Sterling.

Mrs. Ira Rutt visited in Dixon on last Friday with her mother, Mrs. Calvin Eastman.

M. R. Dewey passed away on Friday morning at 2:30 o'clock at his home southeast of town after a few days' illness from bronchitis, which developed into pneumonia.

Mr. Dewey was one of the pioneer residents of this community, having come from New York to Ohio township in an early day and although in the 85th year of his age, had enjoyed splendid health until a short time ago. Mr. Dewey is survived by four children: Mrs. Gertrude Rowe, Salt Lake City; M. P. of this place; W. S. of New York City, and Roy M., with whom his father resided upon the home farm. Mrs. Dewey passed away several years ago. Brief funeral services were held at the home on Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and burial was made at the Union cemetery.

Mrs. J. T. Lawrence Sr. visited on Sunday with Mrs. Jim Scott.

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At the time of his arrest, Adams is said to have made a confession regarding the attempts to adopt Clement and denying knowledge of the plans to steal the Keet baby. Since then, however, Adams has repudiated this alleged confession.

The stealing of the Keet baby, whose body later was found in a cistern on an abandoned farm near

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ROCHELLE

Rochelle, Jan. 21.—Second Lieutenant Robert Ralph Thorp of Rochelle, who was awarded his commission at the second officers' training camp at Fort Sheridan, and subsequently assigned to the 342d Infantry at Camp Grant, is a victim of pneumonia at the base hospital. He was reported to be resting easy on Friday morning.

Second Lieutenant Robert Maley received his call to report for service in the heavy field artillery, Thursday morning. He left for Washington, D. C., Thursday evening, and expects to be assigned to the proving ground for the big guns at Sandy Hook.

The George D. Whitcomb company shops and the Caron Spinning mills shut down Friday morning to comply with the federal orders.

Mayor W. B. McHenry on Thursday issued the following statement to the citizens of Rochelle:

"I wish to inform you as to the actual condition of the fuel supply for this city after a thorough investigation of several days.

"From information received the average supply of fuel in this city would not exceed one week. Although we were fortunate in receiving yesterday three cars of hard coal and two cars of soft coal, I do not get this should be considered as a sufficient supply to warrant the unnecessary use of fuel."

From reports received from reliable sources, I am unable to state when an additional supply will be received here and I consider it the absolute duty of every citizen to conserve every pound of fuel possible.

"I wish to earnestly request that every patron of the water and light

plant of this city use to the minimum amount of their consumption, for at the present time this city has only a fuel supply not to exceed forty-eight hours.

"From the information received, I am convinced that it may mean a period of two weeks before relief can be expected, for the reason that the railroads are now moving all loaded cars, and there will be considerable delay in returning unloaded cars to be refilled and I feel that I may not be reached until within a week or ten days.

"We surely all will agree that we do not wish any one to suffer, and I believe if every citizen will help that the situation will be met.

"W. B. McHenry, Mayor.

"Rochelle, Ill., Jan. 17, 1918."

The many friends of Nelson Baker were shocked by his sudden death at the home of his son, J. E. Baker, Monday noon.

He was attacked with acute indigestion at noon and passed away within a few hours.

Mr. Baker was a very old man, being 91 years old next March.

Burial will be made at Aurora, Ind. Obituary next week.

KIDNAPPER IS ON TRIAL

Marshfield, Mo., Jan. 23.—Taylor B. Adams, charged with conspiracy to kidnap C. A. Clement, a Springfield, Mo., jeweler, is the first of the alleged conspirators to face a jury on this charge.

He was arrested in connection with the kidnaping of Lloyd Keet, infant son of a Springfield, Mo., banker, for which offense Claude Piersol, leader of the alleged abduction band, was sentenced recently to thirty-five years in the Missouri penitentiary.

Piersol is in jail here awaiting action on an appeal.

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Mrs. Allie Adams, his wife, and Sam McGinnis. Dick Carter, who turned state's evidence in the Piersol trial,

has been taken out of Missouri and advised Keet to "pull off the bulls."

The confession further sets forth that Taylor Adams mailed from Kansas City a post card addressed to J. Holland Keet. This was done, Piersol's confession relates, on instructions from Riley and was one of the numerous communications received by Keet previous to the finding of the baby.

The card said that Lloyd Keet had been taken out of Missouri and advised Keet to "pull off the bulls."

The steaming of the Keet baby, whose body later was found in a cistern on an abandoned farm near

Springfield, attracted nation-wide attention, and in Springfield mob violence was narrowly averted.

The infant was taken from its crib about 10 o'clock on the night of May 30, 1917, while the parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Holland Keet, were attending ball at the Country club a short distance away. The abduction was not discovered until they returned home, shortly after midnight.

The following morning Mr. Keet received an anonymous letter telling him his son would be returned if he brought \$6,000 to a secluded spot on a country road near the city.

The communication mapped out long, circuitous routes to be taken. Despite a terrific storm that night, the father did as directed but saw nothing of the kidnapers. It is thought friends trailing the Keet car frightened the abductors away.

Keet received other communications, but to no purpose. The child's body was found a week later on the Crenshaw farm.

It was brought out in the Piersol trial that Taylor Adams was in Kansas City during the time of the kidnaping and subsequent finding of the baby's body. He is charged, however, with conspiracy in the Keet case, and testimony brought out in the Piersol trial tended to show that the alleged band had been fomenting plots for several months prior to the baby's disappearance.

Piersol in an alleged confession recently, charged Adams was assisting in the plot to kidnap the baby.

It is understood, however, that the state will not use Piersol as a witness against Adams.

In the so-called Piersol confession, the youth declared that a man named Riley was the instigator of the plot and that Riley was the one who actually went into the Keet home and stole the baby and later, accompanied by a woman member of the band, carried it away. Piersol admitted buying milk for the baby and food for the kidnapers. Piersol said he was told by one of the plotters that the baby died as the result of medicine administered to keep it quiet.

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One son met his death four weeks ago, while on his way home to spend Christmas. Brief services were held at the home on Monday morning, conducted by Rev. J. J. Johnson and Rev. G. W. Stoddard. The remains were taken to LeRoy, Ill., for burial. The funeral was held at that place on Tuesday.

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CHAPTER XVII.—In Fairdale Duane makes friends with Longstreth, capturing him who has held up Larne, taken him before Longstreth, mayor of Fairdale, who discharges the thief without a hearing. Duane calls Longstreth's hand before several honest men.

CHAPTER XVIII.—Duane whips Law, son of a nephew of Longstreth. He organizes resistance to Longstreth's crooked methods.

CHAPTER XIX.—Laramie is found dead, a bullet hole in his breast. Ray meets Duane and asks for his friendship. She suspects her father of crooked practices.

CHAPTER XX.—Duane, spying on Longstreth and Lawson, knows them for rustlers and bandits, and is nearly trapped by them.

CHAPTER XXI.

A low cry greeted Duane. The room was light. He saw Ray Longstreth sitting on her bed in her dressing-gown. With a warning gesture to her to be silent he turned to close the door. It was a heavy door without bolt or bar, and when Duane had shut it he felt safe only for the moment. Then he gazed around the room. There was one window with blind closely drawn. He listened and seemed to hear footsteps retreating, dying away.

Then Duane turned to Miss Longstreth. She had slipped off the bed, half to her knees, and was holding out



A Low Cry Greeted Duane.

trembling hands. She was as white as the pillow of her bed. She was terribly frightened. Again with warning hand commanding silence, Duane stepped softly forward, meaning to reassure her.

"Oh!" she whispered, wildly; and Duane thought she was going to faint. When he got close and looked into her eyes he understood the strange, dark expression in them. She was terrified because she believed he meant to kill her, or do worse, probably worse. Duane realized he must have looked pretty hard and fierce bursting into her room with that big gun in hand.

The way she searched Duane's face with doubtful, fearful eyes hurt him.

"Listen. I didn't know this was your room. I came here to get away—to save my life. I was pursued. I was spying on your father and his men. They heard me, but did not see me. They don't know who was listening. They're after me now."

Her eyes changed from blank gulps to dilating, shadowing, quickening windows of thought.

Then she stood up and faced Duane with the fire and intelligence of a woman in her eyes.

"Tell me now. You were spying on my father?"

Briefly Duane told her what had happened before he entered her room, not omitting a single word as to the character of the men he had watched.

"My God! So that's it? I knew something was terribly wrong here—with him—with the place—the people. And right off I hated Floyd Lawson. Oh, it'll kill me if—if—it's so much worse than I dreamed. What shall I do?"

The sound of soft steps somewhere near distracted Duane's attention, reminded him of her peril, and now, what counted more with him, made clear the probability of being discovered in her room.

"I'll have to get out of here," whispered Duane.

"Wait," she replied. "Didn't you say they were hunting for you?"

"They sure are," he returned, grimly.

"Oh, then you mustn't go. They might shoot you. Stay. If we hear them you can hide. I'll turn out the light. I'll meet them at the door. You can trust me. Wait till all quiet down, if we have to wait till morning. Then you can slip out."

"I oughtn't to stay. I don't want to—I won't," Duane replied, perplexed.

ed and stubborn.

"But you must. It's the only safe way. They won't come here."

"Suppose they should? It's an even chance Longstreth'll search every room and corner in this old house. If they found me here I couldn't start a fight. You might be hurt. Then the fact of my being here—"

Duane did not finish what he meant, but instead made a step toward the door. White of face and dark of eye, she took hold of him to detain him. She was as strong and supple as a panther. But she need not have been either resolute or strong, for the clasp of her hand was enough to make Duane weak.

"Up yet, Ray?" came Longstreth's clear voice, too strained, too eager to be natural.

"No. I'm in bed reading. Good night," instantly replied Miss Longstreth, so calmly and naturally that Duane marveled at the difference between man and woman. Then she motioned for Duane to hide in the closet. He slipped in, but the door would not close altogether.

"Are you alone?" went on Longstreth's penetrating voice.

"Yes," she replied. "Ruth went to bed."

The door swung inward with a swift scrape and jar. Longstreth half entered, haggard, flaming-eyed. Behind him Duane saw Lawson, and indistinctly another man.

Longstreth barred Lawson from entering, which action showed control as well as distrust. He wanted to see into the room. When he had glanced around he went out and closed the door.

Then what seemed a long interval ensued. The house grew silent once more. Duane could not see Miss Longstreth, but he heard her quick breathing.

Presently he pushed open the closet door and stepped forth. Miss Longstreth had her head lowered upon her arms and appeared to be in distress. At his touch she raised a quivering face.

"I think I can go now—safely," he whispered.

"Go then, if you must, but you may stay till you're safe," she replied.

"I—I couldn't thank you enough. It's been hard on me—this finding out—and you his daughter. I feel strange. I don't understand myself well. But I want you to know—it I were not an outlaw—a ranger—I'd lay my life at your feet."

"Oh! You have seen so—so little of me," she faltered.

"All the same it's true. And that makes me feel more the trouble my coming caused you."

"You will not fight my father?"

"Not if I can help it. I'm trying to get out of the way."

"But you spied upon him."

"I am ranger, Miss Longstreth."

"And oh! I am a rustler's daughter," she cried. "That's so much more terrible than I'd suspected. It was tricky cattle deals I imagined he was engaged in. But only to-night I had strong suspicions aroused."

"How? Tell me."

"I overheard Floyd say that men were coming to-night to a meeting for my father at a rendezvous near Ord. Father did not want to go. Floyd taunted him with a name."

"What name?" queried Duane.

"It was Cheseldine."

"Cheseldine! My God! Miss Longstreth, why did you tell me that?"

"What difference does that make?"

"Your father and Cheseldine are one and the same," whispered Duane, hoarsely.

"I gathered so much myself," she replied, miserably. "But Longstreth is father's real name."

Duane felt so stunned that he could not speak at once. It was the girl's part in this tragedy that weakened him. The instant she betrayed the secret Duane realized perfectly that he loved her. The emotion was like a great flood.

"Miss Longstreth, all this seems so unbelievable," he whispered. "Cheseldine is a rustler chief. I've come out here to get him. He's only a name. Your father is the real man. I've sworn to get him. I'm bound by more than law or oaths. I can't break what binds me. And I must disgrace you—wreck your life! Why, Miss Longstreth, I believe I—I love you. Now all you gents keep quiet. I'll do the talkin'."

The posse entered the town, trotted up on the dusty horses, and halted in a bunch before the tavern. The party consisted about twenty men, all heavily armed, and evidently in charge of a clean-cut, lean-limbed cowboy. Duane experienced considerable satisfaction at the absence of the sheriff who he had understood was to lead the posse. Perhaps he was out in another direction with a different force.

"You won't kill him?" she implored.

"If you care for me—you won't kill him."

"No. That I promise you."

With a low moan she dropped her head upon the bed.

Duane opened the door and stealthily stole out through the corridor to the court. But long after he had tramped out into the open there was a lump in his throat and an ache in his breast.

CHAPTER XXII.

Duane had decided to go to Ord and try to find the rendezvous where Longstreth was to meet his men.

These men Duane wanted even more than their leader. It was Poggie who needed to be found and stopped. Poggie and his right-hand men!

The night of the day before he reached Bradford, No. 6, the mail and express train going east, was held up by train-robbers, the Wells-Fargo messenger killed over his safe, the mail-clerk wounded, the bags carried away. The engine No. 6 came into town minus even a tender, and engineer and fireman told conflicting stories. A posse of railroad men and citizens, led by a sheriff Duane suspected was crooked, was made up before the engine steamed back to pick up the rest of the train. Duane had the sudden inspiration that he had been engulging his mind to find; and, acting upon it, he mounted his horse again and left Bradford unobserved.

He rode at an easy trot most of the night, selected an exceedingly rough, roundabout, and difficult course

Didn't have no tracker with us. Think he went into the mountains. But we took a chance an' rid over the rest of the way, seein' Ord was so close. Anybody come in here late last night or early this mornin'?"

"Nope," replied Fletcher.

His response was what Duane had expected from his manner, and evidently the cowboy took it as a matter of course. He turned to the others of the posse, entering into a low consultation. Evidently there was difference of opinion, if not real dissension, in that posse.

" Didn't I tell ye this was a wild-goose chase, comin' way out here?" protested an old hawk-faced rancher. "Them hoss tracks we followed ain't like any of them we seen at the water-tank where the train was held up."

"I'm not sure of that," replied the leader.

"Wal, Guthrie, I've followed tracks all my life—"

"But you couldn't keep to the trail this feller made in the brush."

"Gimme time, an' I could. That takes time. An' heah you go hell-bent for election! But it's a wrong lead out this way. If you're right, this road-cripple, after he killed his pals, would hev rid back right through town. An' with them mailbags! Supposin' they was greasers? Some greasers has sense, an' when it comes to them they're shore cute."

"But we ain't got any reason to believe this robber who murdered the greasers is a greaser himself. I tell you it was a slick job, done by no ordinary sneak. Didn't you hear the facts? One greaser hoped the engine an' covered the engineer an' fireman. Another greaser kept flashin' his gun outside the train. The big man who shovelled back the car door an' did the killin'—he was the real gent, an' don't you forget it."

Some of the posse sided with the cowboy leader and some with the old man. Finally the young leader disgustedly gathered up his bride.

"Aw, hell! That sheriff shoved you off on this trail. Mebbe he hed reason! Savvy that? If I had a bunch of cowboys with me—I tell you what, I'd take a chance and clean up this hole!"

All the while Jim Fletcher stood quietly with his hands in his pockets.

"Guthrie, I'm shore treatin' up your friendly talk," he said. The menace was in the tone, not the content of his speech.

"You can't be damned to you, Fletcher!" called Guthrie, as the horses started.

Fletcher, standing out alone before the others of his clan, watched the posse out of sight.

"Lucky few you-all that Poggy wasn't here," he said, as they disappeared. Then with a thoughtful men he strode up on the porch and led Duane away from the others into the barroom. When he looked into Duane's face it was somehow an entirely changed scrutiny.

"Dodge, wher'd you hide the stuff? I reckon I fit on this deal, seein' I stayed off Ord."

Duane play this part. Here was his opportunity, and like a tiger after prey he seized it. First he coolly eyed the outlaw and then disclaimed any knowledge whatever of the train-robbing other than Fletcher had heard himself. Then at Fletcher's persistence and admiration and increasing show of friendliness he laughed occasionally and allowed himself to swell with pride, though still denying.

Later, when Duane had pumped the now amenable outlaw of all details pertaining to the present he gathered data and facts and places covering a period of ten years Fletcher had been with Cheseldine. And herewith was unfolded a history so dark in its bloody regime, so incredible in its brazen daring, so appalling in its proof of the outlaw's sweep and grasp of the country from Pecos to Rio Grande, that Duane was stunned. Compared to this Cheseldine of the Big Bend, to this rancher, stock-buyer, cattle-speculator, property-holder, all the outlaws Duane had ever known sank into insignificance. The power of the man stunned Duane; the strange fidelity given him stunned Duane; the intricate inside working of his great system was equally stunning. But when Duane recovered from that old, terrible passion to kill consumed him, and it raged fiercely and it could not be checked. If that red-handed Knell had only been at Ord! But they were not, and Duane with help of time got what he hoped was the upper hand of himself.

That afternoon a horseman rode in from Bradford, an outlaw evidently well known and liked by his fellows, and Duane heard him say, before he could possibly have been told the train-robbing was in Ord, that the loss of money in the hold-up was slight. Like a flash Duane saw the luck of this report. He pretended not to have heard.

In the early twilight at an opportune moment he called Fletcher to him, and, linking his arm within the outlaw's, he drew him off in a stroll to

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thought. It was the approach that needed all his mind.

Later in the morning he returned to Ord. If Jim Fletcher tried to disguise his surprise, the effort was a failure. Certainly he had not expected to see Duane again. Duane allowed himself a little freedom with Fletcher, an attitude hitherto lacking.

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POLO NEWS ITEMS ALL AROUND TOWN

Polo, Jan. 21—The orphanage is out of quarantine, out the Deaconess is ill with tonsilitis.

Mrs. Patrick Kroh and son went to Haldane on last Tuesday where they will spend the week end with her sister, Mrs. Joe Rowland.

The merchants who closed on Monday took the chance to shovel the snow from the streets and wagons hauled it to the golf links.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Showalter of Shady Grove, Pa., went to Lanark on last Monday for an extended visit with relatives.

E. W. Reynolds of Morrison spent the week end at the James Hawkins home.

S. A. Cornelius of Freeport was in town Monday.

Miss Anna Shaw went to Dixon on Monday to spend a few days with friends.

E. M. Detweiler brought his Holsteins to the Barber barns Monday for the sale.

Charles Johnson returned from his work at Amboy Monday.

Miss Grace Shaw of Oregon spent Sunday with her mother.

Miss Clara Ricker's Sunday school class of the Evangelical church gave Mrs. Walter Rucker a beautiful piece of silver as a token of the esteem in which they hold her. Mrs. Rucker is moving to Bloomington.

Mrs. Ritters and family have moved from the country to the north half of the John Zeighwerth house.

Mrs. Underkauffer was called to Dixon Monday by the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. Missman.

Mrs. Marvin Wolfe went to Dixon Monday to spend a few days with an aunt.

Mrs. Harold Sheller spent last Sunday with friends and relatives in Dixon.

Mrs. Ira Fry expects to leave for Chenoa on Wednesday for an extended visit.

Little Maxine Stoner passed away on Saturday night, death resulting from whooping cough. She was the year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stoner. Funeral services were held at the home on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Klonitz officiating. One brother, in addition to the parents, survived.

Alvin Joiner, Jr., is seriously ill at this writing.

Walter Rucker and family will return to Bloomington this week to make their future home. Mr. Rucker has accepted a position there.

Henry Rife of Sterling was here on Friday.

Aaron O'Kane of Hastings, Neb., visited with relatives here Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Anderson visited on Friday and Saturday with Dixon friends.

Miss Bailey, teacher, left on Friday for Grinnell, Ia., for a visit with friends.

Miss Bertha Madison has resigned her position as teacher in the Old Town school. Miss Madison expects to take a music course. Mrs. Harold Sheller of Dixon will teach the school until June.

The Home Missionary society met at the home of Mrs. T. H. Straw on last Thursday. Mrs. Ben Good was

CLOSING OUT PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned, having rented his farm and decided to quit farming, will sell, without reserve, at public sale, at his residence, 4 miles north of Ohio, 10 miles southwest of Amboy and 5 miles south of Walton, on

Wednesday, January 30, 1918.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock sharp. Free lunch at 12 o'clock.

22 Head of Horses—2 roan mares 4 years old, wt. 2800; sorrel gelding 4 years old, wt. 1400; bay horse 5 years old, wt. 1250; brown mare 6 years old, wt. 1250; gray gelding 3 years old, wt. 1200; gray filly 2 years old; these horses are all sired by my stallion "Hercule." Black horse 9 years old, wt. 1300; bay horse 7 years old, wt. 1150; gray mare 4 years old; sorrel gelding 5 years old; these two last horses are pure Morgan bred and a good road team. Bay match team of drivers 5 and 6 years old; black horse 5 years old, wt. 1050; brown mare 12 years old, with foal by "Hercule;" bay road mare 2 years old; pair of gray horses 12 years old, wt. 2300; gray horse 12 years old, wt. 1500; sorrel road mare 5 years old; bay stallion "Chief Collins" 9 years old, high-bred and a first class horse; 1 good mule 6 years old, wt. 1350; good Jack 5 years old, fine individual and a good server.

44 Head of Cattle—18 heifers, some fresh and balance due to calf in March; 20 yearlings, 10 steers and 10 heifers; 6 cows, 3 fresh now, all good milk cows.

Complete Line of Farm Machinery—consisting of manure spreader, only used a week; Peoria corn elevator, with Sandwich power; Deering corn binder; 4 Mendota towers; seeder, harrow; 2 gang plows, Emerson and John Deere; Deering binder; 4 wagons; 2 single buggies; bob sled; cutter; fanning mill; 6 sets of work harness, some new; 2 sets single harness and other articles too numerous to mention.

25 tons good timothy hay in barn; 600 bushels of good corn, not spoiling in crib.

My complete set of household furniture; some very good articles.

Terms: All sums of \$10 and under, cash. On all sums over that amount a credit of 11 months time will be given on bankable notes at 6 per cent.

FARM AT AUCTION.

The undersigned, having decided to quit farming, will have a closing out sale and will sell his farm of 160 acres and entire lot of personal property, at his residence 3 miles east and 1/2 mile south of Walnut, and 4 miles west of Ohio, Illinois, on

Monday, Feb. 4, 1918.

Sale to commence at 12 o'clock sharp. Farm to be sold first.

160 Acres Improved Farm.

Located in Walnut township, Sec. 12 and 13, three miles east and 1/2 mile south of Walnut, and 4 miles west of Ohio, Illinois.

Improvements consist of: Seven room two story house; 50x60 barn, 24 foot posts; double corn crib; hog house 50x22x7, shingle roof; engine house; garage; wash house; wood shed; coal house; silo 16x30 and a good deep well with windmill.

TERMS ON FARM:—Ten per cent of purchase price day of sale, balance by March 1, 1918, or will carry \$17,000 at five per cent interest.

7 head of horses and mules.

25 head of cattle; 17 head of the best dairy cattle in this country.

25 head of hogs.

18 head of sheep.

Complete outfit of farm machinery.

1000 bu. of corn, 6 tons of hay and 50 tons of silage.

Some household goods.

Free lunch at noon.

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M. E. Cadwalader, Clerk.

Jan 22 29

TIME TABLE

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon, *Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.

No. Lv. Dixon	Ar. Chicago
24 6:41 a.m.	9:15 a.m.
6 3:28 a.m.	6:45 a.m.
23 7:23 a.m. dly ex Sun	10:40 a.m.
18 8:05 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
10 11:21 a.m.	2:00 p.m.
20 11:01 a.m. dly ex Sun	2:25 p.m.
4 4:11 p.m. dly ex Sun	7:30 p.m.
100 4:15 p.m. Sun only	7:35 p.m.
12 6:10 p.m.	8:45 p.m.

West Bound.

No. Lv. Chicago	Ar. Dixon
5 7:00 a.m. ex Sun	10:20 a.m.
9 7:10 a.m. Sun only	10:26 a.m.
13 10:45 a.m.	1:18 p.m.
19 12:15 p.m. dly ex Sun	3:38 p.m.
27 3:45 p.m. dly ex Sun	7:03 p.m.
11 6:05 p.m.	8:40 p.m.
25 6:10 p.m.	9:04 p.m.
17 9:40 p.m.	12:11 a.m.
7 10:00 p.m.	12:23 a.m.
3 11:20 p.m.	2:16 a.m.

No. Lv. Dixon	Ar. Peoria
801 8:30 a.m.	12:05 p.m.
* 11 stops only for passengers for Marshalltown, Ia., or beyond.	
xTrain 17. Stops only for passengers for Canyon, Wyo., and beyond, or for Des Moines sleeping passengers.	

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight: Daily, *Daily except Sunday.

South Bound.	
119 Local Exp. Dly ex Sun	7:20 a.m.
123 Southern Exp.	11:10 a.m.
131 Clinton Exp.*	5:09 p.m.

North Bound.

132 Ft. Dodge Exp.*	9:53 a.m.
124 Local Mail Dly.	5:35 p.m.
120 Local Exp.	8:40 p.m.
Freepost Freight*	12:30 p.m.

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JAS. W. Ballou, Assistant.

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1c a Word for.....	2 Times
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WANTED—All my patrons and others to call at my new location under Union State Bank after Monday, October 15th, and bring their shoes for repairing. H. Beckingham

265 t24

WANTED. Everyone troubled with aching, tired feet to try a box of Healo. For sale by all druggists.

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WANTED—Old False Teeth; don't matter if broken. I pay \$2 to \$15 per set. Also cash for old gold, silver, and broken jewelry. Send by parcel post and receive check by return mail. Will hold goods 10 days for sender's approval of my offer. L. Mazer, 2007 So. 5th St., Phila, Pa.

13 t24

WANTED—CIVIL SERVICE examinations in Dixon soon. Men and women desiring government clerkships, departmental, postoffice, railway mail, customs, stenographers, write for free particulars to J. C. Leonard (former government examiner), 97 Kenosha Bldg, Washington.

10 t24

WANTED. 5 or 6 room cottage by K973. 17 5

WANTED. Good, reliable married man to work on farm. Fred Brauer, Route 7, Phone C22. 17 4

MEN WANTED—We still have an opening for only a few men in our new wire drawing mill. This is an exceptionally good opportunity for just the right kind of men for the particular work we have to do. While it is light work and guarantees steady employment throughout the year, the scale of wages paid is higher than the average to begin with and with favorable opportunity for advancement. We are giving preference to men from 19

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103.00 now, then.	2.00
187.00 now, then.	1.50
223.00 now, then.	7.50
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COMBINATION SALE

at Manges' Feed Barn, Dixon, Ill., Thursday, January 31, 1918. We are promised a good lot of livestock and farm machinery for this sale. 17 t7 D. M. FAHRNEY.

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U. S. BARS IRISH PAPER

Post Office Refuses Use of Mail to the World.

New York Publication Printed Editorial Matter Held to Be in Violation of Espionage Act.

Washington, Jan. 23.—The post office department has sustained the decision of the postmaster at New York in excluding from the second class mailing privileges the issue of the Irish World of January 19, which contained editorial matter held to be in violation of the espionage act.

In making this announcement Senator Lanahan said the decision would not affect future issues of the paper unless objectionable matter should be found in them.

The department also has under consideration recent issues of the Gaelic-American and the New York Free Man's Journal, other Irish papers held up at the New York office for alleged violations of a similar nature.

New York, Jan. 23.—Distribution in the mails of last week's editions of the Irish World, the Gaelic-American and the New York Free Man's Journal, three of the leading weekly publications in this country espousing the cause of Irish independence, has been refused by the post office authorities pending an investigation, it was learned from the editors of these papers.

"We were informed unofficially that the only reason for the post office department's action," said Robert E. Ford, editor of the Irish World, "was that all three publications published simultaneously a reproduction of a petition signed by the Irish woman's council of Dublin, which was presented to President Wilson by Mrs. Hannah Sheehy Skeffington on January 11.

"The petition asked for a definite inclusion of Ireland by the United States government as one of the small nations whose rights should be internationally recognized at the peace conference to follow the war."

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Cardboard as Drier. Chloride of calcium is sometimes used to absorb moisture and keep certain photographic products dry, such as platinum paper or carbon paper; but a photographer has discovered that cardboard of the heavy kind will act as a good drier. The card is used in rough sheets, it being well dried by heat and then wrapped in waxed paper so as to leave only the edge of the board free and thus not absorb moisture too quickly.

REMOVAL SALE

I have moved to the building occupied by the A. P. Brierton Plumbing Shop and will hold a Great Reduction Sale on all Underwear, Sweater Coats Bed Blankets and Wool Hosiery.

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ASKS EMBARGOES ON THREE ROADS

Fuel Chief Would Give Food, Coal and Munitions Right of Way.

CONGESTION MUST END SOON

Pennsylvania Lines in the East, Baltimore & Ohio and Reading Designated—Holidays Ordered for Cities in Iowa.



In his memorandum Mr. Garfield said:

"The press reports show that the Pennsylvania railroad, with the approval of A. H. Smith, placed an embargo upon Monday upon all freight except food and fuel and certain war munitions and supplies was requested by Fuel Administrator Harry A. Garfield.

The request was contained in a memorandum sent by him to Director General of Railroads McAdoo. An embargo was put on the Norfolk & Western.

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